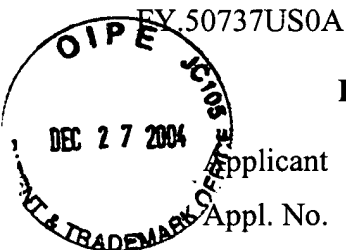


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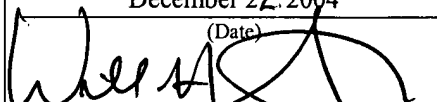
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 14 of this paper. A "Replacement Sheet" for each sheet of drawings being amended can be found in the Appendix.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

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